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JOHN SIMMONS' Credit Auction Sale

Under instructions from Mr. John Simmons, of Condor, who is leaving the country, I will sell by public auction at the S.W. quarter of Section 5-32-1-W4th, being half a mile south and half a mile east of Condor, 7 miles southeast of Lethbridge, 6 miles east of Alhambra and 5 miles west of Hespero, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 6

Sale at 12 sharp Lunch at 11:30

5 HEAD OF HORSES

Team bay mares, 2400 lbs, 6 years old; bay gelding, rising 4 years, 1300 lbs; bay gelding, rising 5 years, weight 1250 lbs; bay mare, 10 years old, weight 1300 lbs.

SEED AND FEED

10 tons good oat bundles; 100 bushels Seed Barley, 1923 crop.

IMPLEMENTS, HARNESS, ETC.

20 run Deering seed drill; truck wagon; set box sleighs; bundle rack; scraper; pick fork; axen; shovel; hay fork; whitetress; DeLaval cream separator; 3 large kettles; roasting pans; 4 good pails; lanterns; pickler; carpenter's tools; set breeching harness, nearly new; set heavy breeching harness; stock mangle; bridle.

12 HEAD OF CATTLE

Red cow, 4 years old, fresh at day of sale; Holstein cow, 7 years old, freshen any day; the roan Shorthorn dual-purpose cow, fresh in spring; roan cow, 5 years old, fresh in two months; red cow, 5 years old, fresh in two months; red cow, 3 years old, fresh in April; red cow, 3 years old, fresh in May; Holstein cow, 6 years old, good milk; Registered Holstein cow, 5 years old, fresh in June; 2 heifers, rising 2 years, fresh in spring; REGISTERED SHORTHORN BULL, "Canadian King".

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Oak dining room suite, new, leather covered chairs; extra good high-back rocker; 3 rocker chairs; 3 dressing tables; commode; couch; dining chairs; 3 bedsteads, springs and mattresses; kitchen cabinet; cook stove; 3 heaters; 3 tables; clocks, dishes, lamps, sealers, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE

Eight months' credit will be given on the horses and cattle to purchaser furnishing a joint lien bankable note bearing interest at 4 per cent. Five per cent discount for cash will be given on the horses and cattle; the balance of sale will be sold for cash only. Mr. Simmons is recognized as one of the best stockmen in these parts, and his horses and cattle are in excellent condition. Anyone wanting cattle of the right type will do well to attend this sale.

B. SEVDY Auctioneer
JOHN SIMMONS, Owner SCOTT HASTIE, Clerk

MRS. C. WILLIAMS' Cash Auction Sale

Having received instructions from Mrs. C. Williams, I will sell by public auction at the S.E. quarter of 2-35-2-W4th, 6 miles south and 3 miles west of Sylvan Lake, 6 miles north and 1 mile west of Markerville, 2 miles south and 4 miles east of Everts, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 7

LUNCH AT NOON SALE AT ONE O'CLOCK

FURNITURE

Home Comfort 6-hole range; box heater; kitchen table; 3 kitchen chairs; large cupboard; 2 rocking chairs; oak table; Singer sewing machine; Edison phonograph and 32 records; dresses; clock; house pictures; Simmons' bed and spring complete, full size, new; Simmons' folding cot; pillows; blankets; curtains; large trunk; 2 full sets of good dishes; plates; etc.; 2 tubs; 2 boilers; and a lot of good kettles, saucepans, tea kettles; 3 large kettles; roasting pans; 4 good pails; lanterns; meat chopper; fruit sealer; screen door; 6 gal. coal oil can with pump; 5 gal. gas can; Dairy churn; No. 12 DeLaval cream separator; 2 30-gal. barrels; Waterloo Boy pump; engine and tank; pump, and 125 feet of pipe, complete; cream cans; water trough.

MACHINERY

14 inch John Deere gas plow, new; McCormick mower; 14 in. breaker plow; hay rake; John Deere 6 ft. binder; Cockshutt wagon; wagon box; hay rack, new; blower; wire wheels; wire wheels; logging chains; carpenter's tools; saw; wagon seat; forks, etc.

HORSES

Team black mares, 8 and 9 years old; team bay mares, 9 years old; 2 colts, rising 2 years old.

CATTLE

Red and white cow, to freshen latter part of June; red and white cow, to freshen in April; red cow, to freshen in May; roan cow, to freshen in May; red cow, to freshen in May; 2 black calves.

BEN M. SEVDY Auctioneer

EXAMINER'S REVIEW OF PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Calgary, February 26th.

Cattle.—Receipts at Calgary light and prices on choice killers stronger. Choice heavy steers, \$6.25 to \$6.85; choice light, \$6.00 to \$6.60; good, \$5.25 to \$5.75; medium, \$4.10 to \$4.50. Choice heifers, \$5 to \$5.50; good, \$3 to \$4.50. Choice cows, \$4 to \$4.50; good, \$3.50 to \$4; medium, \$2.25 to \$3.50; common, \$2.50 to \$3.25; canners, \$1.25 to \$2. Choice bulls, \$3.50; medium, \$1.75 to \$2.25. Choice calves, \$5; common, \$2.25 to \$4.50. Feeders and Stockers—Unfavorable weather and light supply made market slow, with prices steady on top feeders up to \$4.75; others, \$3.75; stock steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; stock heifers, \$2 to \$3.25; stock cows, \$1.25 to \$2.50. Beef—Not many cattle at Edmonton this week and good demand kept the market firm to slightly higher. Choice heavy steers, \$6.25 to \$6.75; choice light, \$6.75 to \$6.25; good, \$5.25 to \$5.75; medium, \$4.10 to \$4.50. Choice heifers, \$5 to \$5.50; good, \$3.75 to \$4.25. Choice cows, \$3.75 to \$4.25; good, \$3.25 to \$3.75; medium, \$2.75 to \$3.25; common, \$2.25 to \$2.75; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.00. Bulls, choice make \$2.50 to \$2.85; medium, \$1.75 to \$2; canners, \$1.25 to \$1.50. Calves, choice veal \$5 to \$7; common calves, \$3.50 to \$4. Feeders, Stockers—Offering scarce owing to demand for anything showing flesh for slaughter; best feeders, \$4.75; plain down to \$3.50; stock steers, \$2.50 to \$3.75; stock heifers, \$2.25 to \$3.25; stock cows, from \$2.25 to \$2.75.

Hogs.—Calgary market steadily improved up to Wednesday when thick smooths of cars were bid \$10.50 to \$10.85; bacon 10 per cent premium. Today's sales \$10.50 to \$10.65.

Sheep.—Calgary receipts light and market nominal at \$14 for lambs; wethers \$11, and ewes, fat, \$9; these are likely about top prices, though choice lambs might bring more.

Lambs at Edmonton have been making as high as \$15, others lower according to quality; fat ewes, \$8 to \$9.50; wethers from \$12 down.

Grain.—Prices showing usual fluctuations to be expected at this time of the year and though there are temporary decreases there are none to be feared. End of the crop will be sold at high levels.

Butter.—Butterfat—Cheese.—Cream—Alberta prices unchanged, but Saskatchewan and Manitoba down to 30c, and talking of another 2c. drop. Bad weather delaying receipts. Creamery butter—Market somewhat weak but light make is keeping price up on car lots and private car lots rather scarce, but basic price is between 30c to 31c. Dairy Butter—Receipts at center of the city very light. Cheese—Supply of really good cheese in West well used up and prices advanced to 24c for stillings and twins 21c.

Poultry—Eggs.—Calgary and Edmonton dealers paying 40c for hatching eggs and 35c for setting eggs, but the latter are very light, owing to bad weather checking production; Lethbridge paying 50c basis extra. Poultry.—Very little marketing and demand very slow; heavier receipts would break prices.

Potatoes.—Colder weather and light stocks on hand at Calgary boosted prices up again to \$40 for a grade.

Hay.—Dealers reporting several inquiries from farmers and ranchers who are apparently uneasy at continued cold weather and deep snow which is still found in many parts of the province. Market showing stronger tone in all districts.

Hides.—Farmers out of the market now and tone bad. The dealers give warning regarding advisability of selling hides soon, to avoid hair-slipping.

Furs.—Last sale at New York shows values paid by the western dealers about in line with commercial demand and not much change in quotations.

SOME SUPERSTITIONS OF THE SEA

There is no place in the world where superstition is as powerful as on the sea.

Let an absent-minded sailor whittle on board ship and his mates will curse him on bringing on a stiff breeze when it is not wanted.

But for a sailor to whistle when the ship is enveloped in dense fog is permissible, since the occult wind may disperse the very material fog.

In no circumstances, however, is a young steamship-trained helmsman allowed to mount the "weather side of the bridge."

This privilege is reserved for the old shellbacks who have been several times round Cape Horn. But as few seamen can claim such distinction in these days of "iron ships and wooden men" the "weather side" is now universally used.

Seamen no longer believe that rats leave an ill-fated ship before she sails. But they still regard the arrival of a corpse for shipment as a very bad omen, and the writer has known them to desert sooner than sail with it.

Strangely enough, the extent of their apprehension on this account varies with the social standing of the deceased, the remains of a celebrity being more unlucky than those of a humble citizen.

So strong was this superstition in bygone days that the packing case containing the casket had to be labelled and stowed as ordinary cargo. The lucky black cat is proverbial. But what is not so well known is the reason why seamen are so over indulgent to them. This is to prevent the cat bringing ill-luck to the ship by running away.

During the war black cats were at a premium. With so much extra tonnage aboard there were not enough to go round.

Sometimes a young midshipman would be sent ashore in search of one. And a certain young, sooner than return empty-handed, dyed the "white patches of a black and white" "merry" with ink.



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ESTIMATES SHOW KING GOVERNMENT'S EXTRAVAGANCE

The main estimates submitted to a Parliament show that expenditure during the coming fiscal year, instead of going down, will go up. They call for an expenditure of \$402,704,597, which is only \$3,692,270 below the total votes, both main and supplementary, passed last session.

This shows beyond all doubt that the appropriations made this session will much exceed those of last year. It must be borne in mind that the supplementary estimates have still to be brought down, and it will be surprising if they do not reach \$20,000,000.

That this is not a rash guess is evident from the following. The Government has announced that it will bring in a bill this session to recoup the Home Bank depositors, and as the latter ask for 60 cents on the dollar, this, if granted, means nearly \$12,000,000 alone. Then there can be no possible objection to a duty which will preserve our pulpwood for our own people in the same manner as the United States farmer and stockraiser and dairymen are preserving their own market for their own produce by placing an insurmountable duty against Canada.

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MEDDLING WITH CANADA'S AFFAIRS

The National Publishers' Association of the U. S. A. is all "hot up" over the oft repeated suggestion in this country that something should be done to either cut off or slow down the export of our pulpwood to the United States. In a word, conserve Canada's natural resources for the use of Canadians, or Americans who wish to take advantage of their opportunities by operating in Canada.

A brief was presented the other day on behalf of the National Publishers' Association to Senator Borah, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee. The document is interesting. Among other things it accuses us of bad faith. "Under a mask of forest conservation," says the document, "Canadian manufacturers are trying to force the Dominion Government to stop the exportation of pulpwood." Further on the brief states: "They are trying to force the American operators to move their mills into Canada, where the wood would be transformed into pulp for the paper mills here. That accomplished, the next step would be to embargo pulp, thus forcing Americans to make their paper in Dominion territory under the domination of the Canadian paper industry."

Well, supposing we do all that. The surplus of pulpwood exported brings Canada some \$10,000,000. Made into newsprint this amount of pulpwood is worth approximately \$70,000,000. Is that worth while?

In their brief the National Publishers' Association admit their dependence upon Canadian pulp, and they further state that without Canadian pulp being freely admitted to the United States market, the production of some 120,000 workers would be jeopardized. That can be readily adjusted, for they may work up here. That seems a reasonable solution.

Any objection to our looking out for our own interests and trade and trade from a people who have done everything possible to keep Canadian products out of the United States market. And as they apparently have a great dislike to that word embargo, let us drop it and substitute the word duty—a duty on export. There can be no possible objection to a duty which will preserve our pulpwood for our own people in the same manner as the United States farmer and stockraiser and dairymen are preserving their own market for their own produce by placing an insurmountable duty against Canada.

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Those desiring to transfer sums of money to other countries will find it advisable to use Bank Drafts. They are the safest and most convenient medium for transferring money abroad, and the cost is moderate. Bank Drafts are issued at all branches of the Imperial Bank.

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both ways. The contention of the National Publishers' Association that an embargo on pulpwood will advance the cost of newspaper and other papers cannot be taken seriously in view of the fact that Canadian newspaper makers are successfully competing with the United States manufacturers in their own market, and costs if anything are lower here than in that country.

There is no reason whatever why Canadians should pay the least attention to what the National Publishers' Association, Senator Borah or others from the United States have to say in respect to the distribution of our own products. This is a matter that is exclusively our own business, and the country as a whole is in practical agreement as to what should be done. Let Parliament at the coming session put into effect this embargo, or if they like it better an export duty on pulpwood. It is already two years overdue. The last shred of argument against it went by the board when the United States government placed what is tantamount to an embargo against Canadian products.—(Reprint from "Saturday Night," February 14th, 1925).

STRETCH-GALLOWAY

A quiet but very pretty wedding was solemnized by the Rev. W. G. Brown at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Stretch, Second Ave. East, Red Deer, on Wednesday, February 25, when Juanita Goldie Galloway became the bride of the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stretch. The bride was daintily gowned in sapphire blue crepe de chene, carrying a lovely bouquet of roses. The bride was attended by Miss Louise Macdonald, groomed in brown crepe de chene and carrying a bouquet of carnations. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Frank E. Stretch, immediately after the ceremony the company sat down to a dainty luncheon. The table was covered by a very pretty wedding cake put into effect this embargo, or if they like it better an export duty on pulpwood. It is already two years overdue. The last shred of argument against it went by the board when the United States government placed what is tantamount to an embargo against Canadian products.—(Reprint from "Saturday Night," February 14th, 1925).

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A vote of thanks was then tendered to Mrs. Frost for her very able paper, after which, on the motion of Mrs. Simmons and Mrs. H. Meeres, the meeting adjourned until March 11.

D. S. HASTIE, Sec'y-Treas.

RED DEER IRON WORKS
PHONE 28. P.O. Box 486

Mr. J. W. Broughton begs to announce that he is again doing business at the Red Deer Iron Works, and solicits the support and patronage of his old customers and others, assuring them that by strict attention to business, moderate charges to all clients alike, with first-class work and service he will merit their confidence.

RED DEER IRON WORKS
PHONE 28. P.O. Box 486

The Mothers

of this community are the buyers of most of the goods required for the home, themselves and the children—and, in large measure, for the men as well.

These women are the closest readers of the local newspaper. A message in "The Red Deer News" is certain to be read by the very people the home merchant must reach with his "store news."

ADVERTISING is the bond of confidence that ties your store to the homes of the community. The homemakers expect to be invited to your store. Are you willing to be shown that

"An Advertisement Is An Invitation"

"You cannot sell the goods unless the public knows you have them!"

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The Beauty Parlor will be closed for the next two weeks.

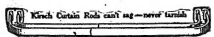
Hardware

WASH BOILERS

A full size boiler, made of bright rustless tin, and copper bottom.

Special, each \$1.95

BATTERIES, No. 6 Columbia dry cell, suitable for radio; each 60¢
The metal incased **Columbia Hotshot**, each \$2.95



DOOR MATS

Cocoa Mat, 14 by 23 inches, each 95¢

Cocoa Mat, 15½ by 26 in., each \$1.25

Rubber Mats, each \$1.25

Doubletrees

Singletrees Clevises



Kyanize

SANITARY FLOOR ENAMEL

This solves the old floor riddle. A good brush and a can of Kyanize Sanitary Floor Enamel (any of the eight shades). All ready to apply—simply spread from the can to the floor. In almost no time it's done. Next day a bright, cheerful, waterproof floor greets you.

Suitable for Porch and Piazza Floors. Smooth as velvet, tough as rawhide—a floor of beauty and lasting goodness. That's the result. Try a Can FREE.

Here's Our Trial Offer to You: Full half-pint can of Kyanize Floor Enamel. If you are not satisfied, return the can to the dealer below with 25 cents for a good brush to apply it.

"It Pays to Pay Cash"

The W. E. LORD CO. LTD. RED DEER, ALBERTA

Registered TRADE MARK No. 30760



Spring Exhibit of New Fashions

Another new season. And again comes our formal opening event, whose fashion displays of previous years have established it as the source of correct information of all the new things for personal wear. This exposition will prove as equally interesting and valuable.

As in other years, it is assembled with skill and understanding. Interpreted in terms of smartness, each new mode for the woman, for the Miss, for the man and for the child meets perfectly the demands of the new season.

The Fashion Event will be held Thursday, March 12th, 1925

We want you to come. And this is our personal invitation. The hours you spend here will prove useful in the knowledge of "what's new," how extensively we have prepared and the reasonableness of our prices.



Spring Opening Ready-to-Wear Dept.

Mr. Lord has advised having the most successful buying trip in his experience. He emphasizes particularly Ensemble Suits and Ensemble-effect Dresses as well as other exclusive garments of New York models which we will be the first to show in the Province of Alberta. These purchases are promised for delivery in time for our Spring Opening. He wants all the friends of the store to see his selection and he says the prices will be very reasonable. We assure you this Fashion Show will prove interesting and profitable.

Spring Millinery Opening



Thursday March 12

A Fashion Treat to which you are Invited

Miladys new Spring Chapeaux is a varied one—in shape, material and trim. This showing reveals them all in their authentic phases. High and supple of crown, jewelled and flower bedecked, each with their individual touches that make them becoming and a fitting accompaniment for the spring costume.

You will find a hat particularly becoming to you, and the price is one that is within your plan of expenditure.

REMEMBER THE DATE—IT WILL BE WORTH WHILE

Groceries

Potatoes, New Brunswick, per bushel \$1.80
We have only a limited quantity of these potatoes left.

B. C. SUGAR

10 lb sack 95¢
20 lb sack \$1.85
100 lb sack \$8.70

TEA

Blue Ribbon or Nabob, per pound 70¢
3 lbs for \$2.00
Lanka, per lb 65¢
3 lb for \$1.90
Salada Tea, per lb 80¢
3 lb for \$2.30
Our Special Blend Tea, 75¢
3 lb for \$2.10
Our Household Tea, lb 70¢
3 lb for \$2.00
Blue Ribbon Green Tea, 70¢

COFFEE

Our Special Blend, lb 50¢
3 lb for \$1.40
Our Early Breakfast, lb 60¢
3 lb for \$1.70
Nabob or Walkin's Coffee, in 1 lb tins at 70¢

COCOA IN BULK

Pure Cocoa for cooking, etc. per lb 12½¢
Pure Cocoa, for table or cooking, per lb 20¢
Pure Dutch Cocoa, lb 30¢

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP SPECIAL

Regular 3 bars for 25¢.
Special 17 bars \$1.00
Palmolive Soap special 15 bars for \$1.00
Cleanall, Reg. 50¢ bottles for 25¢
60¢ tins for 30¢
McLaren's Jelly Powder 3 for 25¢
95¢ per dozen

CANNED FISH FOR LENT

Salmon—
Ensign, finest Red Coho, 1 lb tins, at 25¢
Yacht, finest pink, 1 lb, 2 tins for 35¢
Clover Leaf, finest Sockeye, 1s, per tin 40¢
½s, 2 tins 45¢

Sardines—
Brunswick 3 for 25¢
7 for 50¢
Sardines 2 for 35¢
2 for 45¢

Lobster, ¼ lb tins 30¢
½ lb tins, 50¢

Shrimps, wet or dry, 1s, per tin 30¢

Chicken Haddie, 1s, tin 30¢

Herrings in Tomato Sauce, ½s, 3 tins for 25¢

Kipper Haddie, ½s, 3 tins for 25¢

Norse Crown—
Kipper Haddie 1s 25¢
Fat Herrings in Tomato Sauce, 1s, per tin 25¢
Fresh Mackerel 1s tin 35¢



DRY GOODS DEPT.

This department anticipates all Spring Sewing needs thoroughly and economically. It is proving itself the source of inspiration to women who come here daily. Silks and Cotton fabrics and Wool fabrics in abundance in all the new textures, patterns and colors. Flannel is the popular spring material in checks, stripes, plaid and plain patterns.

Plaid Flannel with darker plaid for skirts and dresses, Chinese blue, marine, reseda and tan, per yard \$1.50

Fine Quality Flannel for skirts and sports suits; sand and pearl with hair stripe, per yard \$1.65

Velour Finish Over-Check Flannel in henna, putty, sand, camel and new blue. Very attractive patterns; 32 in. wide, yard \$1.65

Large Range of Flannels in tweed check and stripe design. Splendid for sports wear, in Chinese blue, strawberry, jade, sand, navy, sapphire, tan and new blue; 81 inches wide, per yard \$1.35

Plain Flannel in extra fine quality with velour finish; 30 in. wide; olive, henna, powder blue, sand, rose, paddy; per yard \$1.25



"Semi-ready" Bespoke Style Tailoring

New Spring Samples

OF MADE-TO-YOUR-MEASURE Suits and Overcoats

SEMI-READY AND ART CLOTHES

The new spring samples are now here for your inspection. Men who prefer made-to-measure clothes should see our new spring showing of Semi-Ready and Art Clothes samples: they are selected from the best manufacturers in England and Scotland. Tailored to perfection by expert Canadian workmen. Can be bought with assurance of style and endurance: quality unsurpassed. We invite you to look these over.

They are priced right.

UNDERWEAR FOR EARLY SPRING

Spring Underwear for men will soon be in demand, and we are prepared with a splendid range of all the leading weights for all classes of men. Every line specially selected to meet the demand. Fine Wool, Silk and Wool, Merino and Balbriggan. Only the best brands carried.

Real Values at \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$3.50, \$4.95 to \$7.50 suit

MEN'S FINE PURE WOOL JERSEY SWEATERS

Men's V-neck Pullover Sweaters with fancy colored stripes around the body, pure wool, neat and dressy. Sizes 38, 40 and 42.

Priced at, each \$2.50

Spring Showing of Women's Shoes

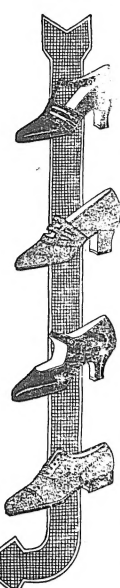
Spring styles are so numerous and varied that space does not permit description of more than a few at a time. Pictured below are four new arrivals in our Women's Shoe section.

A new model in **Black Patent Leather**, one-strap with a smart square heel effect and black suede elastic gore fitting. A serviceable and novel line priced at \$5.95

"Empress" again achieves the unusual—**Black Patent Step-in Pump** with smart gore front and elastic fitting; made over the new short vamp last, to sell at \$8.00

Another spring line in **Black Kid**, one-strap and black suede insert trimming; made over a junior Louis heel last, smartly finished, for \$6.75

For the woman or growing girl who likes a low heeled Oxford, "Empress" has produced this new model in **Black Kid**, made over a smart easy fitting last, ideal for spring wear—to sell at \$6.75



RAILROAD GAUNTLET GLOVES

Crome Tan Railroad Gauntlets, out seam, well sewn, soft and pliable. Good values at, per pair \$1.00 and \$1.25

MEN'S SHOES FOR SPRING

Black Oxfords are again popular. A novelty black calfskin line on a smart "Slaters" last finished with terra-cotta red piping on the seams and toe cap—"Slaters" quality expresses the rest. By far the best we have seen, to sell at \$9.00

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT
OF HAYS

The 12th meeting of the Council was held in Louisa on February 21st at 11 o'clock, with all Councilors present.

The minutes of previous meeting were read, and on motion of McEwen were adopted. On motion of Councilor Ross, a resolution of condolence to the Council to the wife and family of the late Councilor, Mr. Amos Wilton, who passed away on February 28th.

In dealing with the letter from the S.B.B. regarding the road diversion affecting the S.B. 20-35-23-4 in which they refuse to accept the offer of the Council of the amount of \$50.00 as full compensation for one acre of land taken, it was moved by Ross that we refuse to pay any more than this and the Secy-Treas. is authorized to notify the S.B.B. to that effect. Carried.

Re the sale of grasshopper supplies which have been stored at Elmore for the past two years, it was moved by McEwen that this be left in the hands of the Secy-Treas. Carried.

Moved by Ross that notice of sale of impounded animals be posted at the following places, viz.:

Found No. 1—At pound and at Truville and Brodie post offices.

Found No. 2—At pound and at Elmore and Louisa post offices.

Found No. 3—At pound and at Elmore, Louisa and Pine Lake post offices.

Found No. 4—At pound and at S.W. 35-37-24-4 and Delburne post offices.

Found No. 5—At pound and at Delburne and Louisa post offices.

Found No. 6—At pound and at Delburne and Ardley post offices.

The foregoing to be published in the Red Deer News and Advance and notice to be sent to each pound keeper. Carried.

Moved by Ross, that we alter the boundaries of the divisions of the Municipal District, as previously agreed, which is as follows:

That the dividing line between the north and south divisions be on the blind line one mile south of the north line of townships 36-22, 36-23 and 36-24. That the east boundary of Div. No. 4 be altered by extending it one-half mile east of the present line. That the south boundary of Division No. 6 be altered by extending it one-half mile south of the present boundary, and that the foregoing take effect on and after the first day of March, 1928. Carried.

The Council now sat as the Court of Revision, and the following changes were made, in the assessment, on motion of the various Councilors of the Divisions in which the lands are situated:

N.W. 24-35-23-4, reduced to \$1600.00. S.W. 23-37-24-4, appeal dismissed. S.W. 21-35-24-4, reduced to \$2500.00; S. E. 1-35-23-4, reduced to \$2400.00. N. E. 32-35-24-4, reduced to \$3220.00. N. E. 1-35-23-4, reduced to \$1500.00. S. E. 12-35-23-4, reduced to \$1500.00. G. T. P. right of way reduced to a valuation of \$25.00 per acre. Carried.

Moved by W. C. McKay, that we now reduce the whole assessment, excepting the hamlets of Elmore, Louisa and Ardley by 33 1/3 percent. Carried.

Moved by W. C. McKay, that the following accounts be passed and paid. Carried.

S. V. Townshend, labor, No. 1, \$18.38; C. A. Boyden, labor, No. 2, \$5.00; J. E. Roberts, labor, No. 2, \$10.90; Robt. Barclay, labor, No. 2, \$3.10; R. Scullar, labor, No. 3, \$3.90; J. T. Blair, labor, No. 5, \$5.60; J. H. Baker, labor, No. 6, \$5.50; Ernie Bonham, labor, No. 6, \$1.40; H. M. Allison, labor, No. 6, \$2.30; Alberta Gov. Telephone (Feb.) \$5.25; Delburne Pharmacy, \$5.25; U.G.G. rent for storage of grasshopper poison, \$93.00; Provincial Training School, January, \$16.00; Mothers' allowance, January, \$62.50; Quick Print, \$31.50; T. W. McBride, supplies, .50; Secretary-Treasurer, petty cash account, \$2.35. Total, \$271.23.

Moved by Ross, that in the matter of provisions for the Ardley militia we refuse to provide further relief. Carried.

Moved by W. C. McKay, that we adjourn to meet again at the call of the returning officer. Carried.

Robt. Farries, Sec-Treas.

W. C. T. U. NOTES

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Smith on Friday afternoon. In conducting the devotional part of the meeting Mrs. McVicar spoke very ably of our duty in making our lives right with God, and of extending the Christian hand of fellowship to the strangers in our midst.

The program, which was a Frances Willard memorial service, was arranged by Mrs. McMillan, and was very interesting and well carried out, and by Mrs. Fyfe and Mrs. Connell. "In the secret of His presence," was very much appreciated. Mrs. D. McVicar in her usual delightful manner recited

"To the Memory of Frances Willard," which was very appropriate for the occasion. A solo, "Pace to Peace," by Mrs. Harry Wallace, was enjoyed by all.

A short sketch of the life of Miss Willard by Margaret Slaughter, was given by Mrs. Clemens. Mrs. McLean and Mrs. McDonald read extracts from her life compiled by Anna Gordon. It is well that we should honor this wonderful woman who has done so much for womanhood and for humanity all over the country. At one time her cause was so unpopular that no man would take the responsibility of introducing her from the public platform; but nothing daunted she carried it, and in later years every man would have been proud to have been associated with the rich heritage and noble legacy left by this woman.

To organize a great political machine that represents either political party, requires the skill of numbers of expert politicians toiling ceaselessly. Beginning with nothing, in twenty years, she has organized the women of her country into a vast mechanism, that extended to village and city and state and nation, and to foreign lands with machinery for public agitation, a system of temperance journals for children and youth, for securing instruction on the nature of stimulants in the common schools, with more than sixty different departments and methods of activity. She wrote eight or ten books, edited for years the Union Signal, and did heroic work for the National Temperance Hospital and the Woman's National Publication Association. She was one of the first and most eloquent leaders for the enfranchisement of women. These few remarks cover only a small portion of the work of Frances Willard, but it will be carried down through the years, and in addition to her own efforts, temperance work will go on. Moderation is a high sounding, melodious word; it is the first and most British, we are told. We believed that all realized that prohibition had done much to better conditions with all its imperfections it would be excused and that we would steadily work towards its achievement up the weak spots. However, we found ourselves confronted with the same old war, the same old foe, the relentless liquor traffic.

At the close of the meeting the members enjoyed the hospitality of the home.

A. L. Gaetz, Press Supt., W.C.T.U.

ANNUAL MEETING

M. D. OF ARTHUR

The annual meeting of the Municipal District of Arthur, No. 340, held at the town hall, Innisfail, on February 21st, at one o'clock p.m., has passed into history as one of the most successful meetings the District has ever had.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. E. H. Center, the Returning Officer, in the chair. A discussion of the affairs of the past year led to some criticism, and the reserve fund, amounting to \$65,350.00. In the absence of the Reeve, Mr. J. D. Quantz, who was away at the coast, this was explained very satisfactorily by the deputy reeve, Mr. Geo. F. Oakes, as at times the entire reserve was needed to finance the district and save borrowing, and the payment of interest, and so the municipal levy for 1924 was only 4 mills. This seemed to please everyone.

A motion was put before the meeting asking for a tax on dogs, but on being put was lost.

The following resolution was passed unanimously:

That this meeting of ratepayers place on record their heartfelt appreciation of the work of the council in the past year and especially congratulate the Secretary-Treasurer for the splendid work he is doing on their behalf.

At 3 o'clock nominations for Council for Divisions 1-3 were called for, and as no nominations were made in opposition, the present councillors J. A. Nolan, Div. 1; A. Hibbert, Div. 2; and C. A. Moffat, Div. 3, were declared re-elected by acclamation, and the meeting adjourned.

CELEBRATE 35th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart, Crossroads, were the hosts of a pleasant surprise party on Thursday night when the members of their family and about forty neighbors and friends gathered to help them celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary. Though taken by surprise, Mr. and Mrs. Hart rose to the occasion and delightfully entertained their guests after a festive dinner. The evening was spent in cards and dancing. Mr. Walter Hart, on behalf of the children, presented Mr. and Mrs. Hart with a beautiful silver tea service and a fittingly decorated anniversary cake. Mr. and Mrs. Hart have been residents of the district for thirty-two years, and their many friends will wish them many more happy wedding anniversaries.

FROM THE NEWS FILES

TWENTY YEARS AGO

There were 9 patients in the Memorial Hospital. An appendicitis operation received special mention by the scribe as it was a rare occurrence in those days.

D. S. Long and A. W. Fead won prizes at the Edmonton poultry exhibition.

Married: C. H. Stone to Miss Janet May Bowles; R. C. Stone to Mary Matchett.

Government estimates included \$6000 for a court house and lock-up in Red Deer.

The firm of Springbush & Sewall was dissolved, the former continuing the business.

F. H. Tallman and W. E. Trump purchased the hardware business of Postill & Co.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Red Deer debentures were sold at a substantial premium, ten firms bidding for them.

L. M. Gaetz announced that the overall factory was doing a good and rapidly increasing business, and a site had been secured for a new building.

Farmers were on their land, and J. J. Richards was starting seeding.

B. Carwell was organizing the U. P. A. at Eckville.

A. H. Trimble was east after a carload of Arysthires.

Lacombe won the Alberta hockey championship, defeating Strathcona in the finals.

Dr. Collison had purchased a 22 h.p. McLaughlin-Buick motor car.

D. G. Horn picked panicles in his garden.

TEN YEARS AGO

The W. E. Lord Co. was enlarging its premises by taking in part of the Day Hardware store.

The Women's Institute opened a rest room in The News block.

The Day Hardware Co. purchased the hardware business of Smith & Gaetz.

The Allies had silenced several forts in the Dardanelles.

WANTED—
THAT EMBARGO

The Canadian Pulp and Paper Association, represented by more than five hundred of the leaders of the paper industry in the Dominion, went on record yesterday afternoon in favor of putting an end to the policy of free export of the raw material of the paper trade.

This is a policy that "The Star" has expounded and advocated with a reiteration that must nearly have reached the danger point of wearisome monotony. It is a policy to which Mr. Frank Barmann has devoted his time and talents and his fortune. What form the embargo shall take is a matter that can be considered as soon as ever the principle of prohibition has been accepted, and the mad policy of shipping trainloads of our pulpwood across the border is realized and stopped.

At the convention yesterday Mr. Frank W. Clarke made an interesting comparison of the dual question of the export of pulp and power. There is something strange in the fact that while the vast majority of persons are enthusiastically in favor of prohibiting the export of our power or at least of limiting it to the narrowest output, scores of these persons view with indifference the free export of our pulpwood. It is possible that while the pulpman sees a grave danger of both these fields of export, yet in the pulpwood problem there is the factor of the small settler who has his product to sell and his vote to record. The small settler has no power to export.

As Mr. Clarke rightly pointed out, if the forests are denuded at their present rate, the day will shortly come when there will be no need of this power in many parts of Quebec and Ontario, for there will be no raw material to manufacture into newsprint and a hundred other products.

To assure the settler of a fair price for his pulpwood by Dominion mills and to close the gates against free export, is the logical and sane policy to adopt, and it does not require a prophetic commission at a cost of hundreds of thousands of dollars to see its wisdom. Neglect to do this is to close the gates against free export, and Canada will kill the goose that lays the best and largest of her eggs of gold.—Montreal Star.

Rex Theatre

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND
SATURDAY, MARCH 5-6-7An Undying Romance
of the "Never Never Land"

The Screen Classic

J.M. BARRIE'S
WONDERFUL
FAIRY FANTASY"PETER PAN"
with BETTY BRONSON-VIRGINIA FAIRE
ERNEST TORRENCE-ANNA MAY WONG
and a big supporting cast
A Paramount PictureA Story of the
Boy Who
Wouldn't
Grow UpThis is your opportunity to see this wonderful picture at
Regular Admission Prices
Adults, 45c
Children 15cTwo Complete Shows
Each NightSaturday Matinee at
2.30

"The Tobacco of Quality"

SUCK

15¢ per Package

also in 1/2 lb.
VACUUMIZED TINS

MANUFACTURED BY IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY OF CANADA LIMITED.

PETER PAN, the beloved Boy Who Wouldn't Grow Up, has come to town to make you happy.

To take you sailing on a silver cloud to the wonderful Never, Never Land. The land of pirates and painted redskins, and the glorious adventures of youth.

The magic of the screen brings Barrie's famous masterpiece to you a thousand times greater even than the play, which has charmed millions in its twenty-one years of unequalled popularity.

Betty Bronson, Barrie's own choice, is the ideal Peter Pan. Ernest Torrence is a marvelous Captain Hook. Wendy, Tinker Bell, and the other delightful characters are faithfully portrayed.

"Peter Pan" is distinctly the wonder-picture of the screen.

Special Clearance Offer Victrolas & Brunswicks

1 BRUNSWICK PHONOGRAPH, Regular \$115.00
Cabinet style, Fumed oak, slightly used, in excellent condition.
Special Price \$85.00
\$10.00 down
1 VICTROLA, \$135.00
Cabinet style, American walnut.
\$10.00 down
\$10.00 per month.

2 VICTROLAS, \$135.00. Console model, fumed oak and walnut.
\$10.00 down, \$10.00 per month.

1 BRUNSWICK PHONOGRAPH, \$135.00
"Princess" Console type, walnut.
\$10.00 down, \$10.00 per month.

NEW NURSERY MODEL VICTROLA, finished in white enamel, \$25.00. \$2.50 down; \$2.00 per month. Just the ideal machine for the children's play-room.

Several Portable and Table Models of Victrolas and Brunswicks on similar easy terms.

This is your opportunity to get a high-class phonograph on very easy terms. Hear it in your own home before you buy. We will gladly place one in your home on approval.

Gaetz-Cornett Drug & Book Co.
THE **Rexall** STORE

"GIFTS THAT LAST"

"A HAPPY SURPRISE"
Have your Ring
Modernized
into the
Genuine Orange Blossom
Design

(Designs submitted without charge—Remounting work a specialty)

A. B. MITCHELL

JEWELLER

Alberta Meat Market

Now that the poultry season is over, people are looking for something more staple and satisfying.

We carry a line of fresh and cured meats, fish and poultry not surpassed in Alberta. "Service and Quality" is our motto.

We have in stock the finest fresh caught Trout and Whitefish that can be caught in Alberta. At present it is the best fish on the market.

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AGENTS FOR CUT FLOWERS
130 GREY AVE. S. RED DEER, ALBERTA

CONDOR NEWS

The L.O.L. of Condor put on a debate, "Resolved that the Oriental Immigration into Canada should be eliminated." It was open to the public and was both interesting and informative. The "team" won. There has been quite a bit of sickness in the district, mostly of a form of a severe cold and sore throat. The community put on a dance Friday, the 28th, which was well attended in spite of the weather. On Thursday, the 27th, a pleasant party was put on at H. Bice's, where the first round of the chess tournament was played. The non-chess players enjoyed games of five hundred. The same program was followed at the home of H. Meeres, Sr., completing the second round. On Saturday evening a large number of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. J. Simmons paid them a surprise visit.

The Condor Women's Institute presented Mrs. Simmons with a pearl necklace. The presentation was made by Mrs. Frost, the President, who made a very neat speech wishing them God speed in their new home.

The men, not to be outdone, presented Mr. Simmons with a very nice set of cuff links and tie clips. The presentation was made by H. Meeres, who expressed the regrets of all the neighbors at losing a progressive farmer.

On Saturday evening a large number of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. J. Simmons paid them a surprise visit.

After singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," Mr. Simmons replied in a few well chosen humorous remarks. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons expect to go to Spokane after a few weeks' visiting with relatives and are practically retiring from active farming.

EDWELL ECHOES

March 2. The Edwell Presbyterian congregation voted unanimously against church union on Sunday, February 22. The election for Councillor of Division 2, M. D. Pine Lake, resulted in a win for William Flaxley with a majority of eighteen votes.

The Edwell Athletic Club have an interesting program outlined. They plan to have several athletic nights, a bean feed, and a social evening. Come and join the fun. Last week's meeting took the form of a business meeting and boxing.

The Club's first dance on Friday evening last was a huge success, sleigh-loads coming from Horn Hill, Willowdale, Hill End, Grassby, and other points, including Red Deer. Music was furnished by the Caddy orchestra from Glenora.

A load is intended to go from Edwell to the Horn Hill novelty dance on March 4th.

We hope the Councillor will make a greater success of his duties in the district during the coming term than he did of his duty of teaching at the school after the meeting last Thursday night. One of the things missed in sweeping was a log.

A number of very enjoyable card parties have been held in the district this winter. The last was held at Mr. Arthur Hoskins on Wednesday last.

AGREE MINISTERS SHOULD ALL WEAR GOWNS IN PULPIT

May Become More General After Union Has Been Accomplished

Should Methodist ministers wear gowns? According to a well known Methodist, Dr. E. W. Stapleford, principal of Regina College, they should. Several ministers in the long Methodist churches in Calgary agree with Dr. Stapleford, when questioned on the subject.

Word comes from Regina that at the meeting of the quarterly official board of the Methodist churches in the United Church of Canada and contended that the Presbyterian custom in this connection could be followed with advantage by the ministers of the Methodist congregations.

According to Rev. W. E. MacIver, of Wesley Methodist church, they are already being gowned in many of the larger Methodist churches. Ten years ago such a thing in the Methodist church was almost unheard of. At that time only the pastor of St. James Church, Montreal, wore a gown. But now, he thinks, the movement will meet with little opposition and will probably be left to the individual tastes of the various churches. "Personally I think it would be very nice," he stated.

If the choir are gowned, the minister should be also, was the opinion of Rev. H. W. Avison, of Central Methodist church. "I quite agree with Dr. Stapleford, there should be uniformity for those conducting the service, and now nearly all Methodist churches are gowned. I do not think the idea will meet with much opposition."

Rev. George Dirver, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, said that it would have to be left to the General Council to decide. He admitted that there was nothing to hinder the movement, but he did not think it would be carried through.

"Wesley wore a gown, you know," was the laughing reply given by Rev. A. D. Richards, of Scarborough Avenue, Methodist. To his knowledge the question had never been raised before by churches in Canada, although the idea had found ready response in the United States. Mr. Richards was of the opinion that it would probably come in with the United Church.

Rev. Joseph Coulter, of Victoria Methodist church, thought that no doubt the idea would be taken up by the larger churches, but not by the smaller congregations. "I don't think there will be any particular opposition, but I do not believe the idea will be carried through."

Florence Brown, Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

The U.F.W.A. ladies of Poplar Grove take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped to make our concert and box social a success on February 20th.

LESIEVILLE

A general meeting was held in the hall on Monday, February 23rd, for the discussion of the annual sports. It was felt by the retiring committee that an early meeting and general discussion would facilitate matters for the incoming committee. In the past this meeting has been delayed until a few short weeks previous to the "Big Day." This caused a rush of work and planning for the officials.

Mr. Steen, the retiring president, would not consent to stand for re-election, much to the regret of many, as he proved his ability and enthusiasm as president for the last two years.

The position of President went begging on Monday, so the whole matter of sports was turned over to the hall committee. It is rumored that a two-day event will be sponsored by this progressive body.

The new Council for M.D. 401 is as follows: Div. 1, F. W. Barton; Div. 2, S. Sande; Div. 3, B. Williams; Div. 4, C. Wayman; Div. 5, E. Randall; Div. 6, C. L. Welts.

It was pleasant to hear a word of commendation for the "News" for the reprint, "The Magazine Menace," in the last issue. This has a tendency to show that the efforts of our publication are appreciated and are being brought before the public these vital questions.

The Hard Time dance on Friday, February 27th, was a huge success, unparalleled in the annals of community social history. The prizes for the most original hard time dances were awarded to Miss McKinnon and Mr. Alex Green. There were no fines (tough luck). Mr. Hazen was in evidence with his radio and furnished music for several of the dances.

At the summing up of the votes for Division 4 in the municipal election C. L. Welts was declared elected Councillor for 1925-26.

ONTARIO DOES PRETTY WELL FOR A DRY PROVINCE

Toronto, February 23.—The liquor dispensaries of the province have netted the government a profit of \$4,531,000 since they were opened in 1919, according to a statement given in the legislature yesterday, by Attorney General Nickel. The profits ranged from \$376,000 in 1919, to a record of \$995,000 in 1923. The 1924 profits were \$877,000.

Revenue from motor licenses last year totalled \$4,422,868, with the administration cost \$481,735, the attorney general also announced.

LOST—HERFORD DEHORNEO heifer, two years old, branded PX5 on left rib. Kindly inform C. W. McEwen, R.R. 1, Penhold. Phone 406, Edwell. March 4, 2w*

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Applications must state the description of the land to be sown, the number of bushels of each kind of grain required for each quarter section, and whether the applicant is the owner or renter of the land.

W. E. TRUBMAN, Secretary-Treasurer. Feb. 25, 2w.

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